



UNITED STATES PATENT & TRADEMARK OFFICE

Re: Serial No.: 10/796,411
Application of: Chi-Ming Chen, et al.
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AMENDMENT

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Reconsideration of the present application in view of the following amendments and remarks is respectfully requested.

I. INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action mailed on October 1, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.